

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims so as to read as follows:

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8. (Canceled, without prejudice)
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10. Canceled, without prejudice.

11. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 4, A~~

data displaying device comprising

a storage means with data stored therein,

a display means, and

a display control means for controlling the display of the data

-stored in the storage means on the data display means,

characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually

displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a

specified area of data being displayed on the display means,

in that:

the remark display control means moves and displays the

visual confirmation guide,

characterized and in that:

the remark display control means moves or deforms the

visual confirmation guide at a speed based on the geometric

complexity of characteristics represented by the data being

displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

12. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 4, A~~
data displaying device comprising
a storage means with data stored therein,
a display means, and
a display control means for controlling the display of the data
stored in the storage means on the data display means,
characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually
displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a
specified area of data being displayed on the display means,
in that:

the remark display control means moves and displays the
visual confirmation guide,

~~characterized and~~ in that:

the remark display control means moves ~~or deforms~~ the
visual confirmation guide at a speed based on frequency of
data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

13. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 4, A~~
data displaying device comprising
a storage means with data stored therein,
a display means, and
a display control means for controlling the display of the data
-stored in the storage means on the data display means,
characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually
displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a
specified area of data being displayed on the display means,
in that:

the remark display control means moves and displays the
visual confirmation guide,

~~characterized~~ and in that:

the remark display control means moves ~~or deforms~~ the
visual confirmation guide at a speed based on a
combination of the geometric complexity of ~~characteristics~~
~~represented by the~~ data being displayed with the frequency
of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

14. (Canceled, without prejudice)

15. (Currently Amended) A data storage medium containing a record of a data display program readable by a computer to realize:
a function for displaying a visual confirmation guide using a difference in visibility,
a function for distinguishing displayed data by the displayed visual confirmation guide visually, and
a function for moving or deforming the visual confirmation guide at a speed based on preset according to the geometric complexity of characteristics of the data being displayed thereby and/or of the frequency of data being displayed thereby so as to make the data displayed thereby easier to read.

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51. (Canceled, without prejudice)

52.(Currently Amended) A data displaying device as defined in claim 38, A data displaying device comprising:

a storage means with data stored therein,

a display means, and

a display control means for controlling the display of the data stored in the storage means on the data display means, characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a specified area of data being displayed on the display means,

in that:

the remark display control means visually distinguishes the data being displayed with the visual confirmation guide from the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means by deforming the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means or adding information thereto and thereafter displaying the distinguished data with the visual confirmation guide,

in that:

the remark display control means moves and displays the visual conformation guide,

and in that:

the remark display control means moves or deforms the visual confirmation guide at a speed based on the geometric complexity of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

53. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 5,~~ A data displaying device comprising:

a storage means with data stored therein,

a display means, and

a display control means for controlling the display of the data stored in the storage means on the data display means,

characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a specified area of data being displayed on the display means,

in that:

the remark display control means deforms and displays the visual confirmation guide,

~~characterized~~ and in that:

~~the remark display control means moves or deforms the~~
visual confirmation guide at a speed based on the geometric complexity of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

54. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 39,~~ A data displaying device comprising:

a storage means with data stored therein,

a display means, and

a display control means for controlling the display of the data stored in the storage means on the data display means, characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a specified area of data being displayed on the display means.

in that:

the remark display control means visually distinguishes the data being displayed with the visual confirmation guide from the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means by deforming the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means or adding information thereto and thereafter displaying the distinguished data with the visual confirmation guide,

in that:

the remark display control means deforms and displays the visual confirmation guide,

~~characterized and~~ in that:

the remark display control means moves or deforms the visual confirmation guide at a speed based on the geometric complexity of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

55. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 38,~~ A data displaying device comprising:

a storage means with data stored therein,

a display means, and

a display control means for controlling the display of the data stored in the storage means on the data display means, characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a specified area of data being displayed on the display means,

in that:

the remark display control means visually distinguishes the data being displayed with the visual confirmation guide from the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means by deforming the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means or adding information thereto and thereafter displaying the distinguished data with the visual confirmation guide,

in that:

the remark display control means moves and displays the visual conformation guide,

characterized and in that:

the remark display control means moves or deforms the visual confirmation guide at a speed based on the frequency of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

56. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 5,~~ A data displaying device comprising:

a storage means with data stored therein,

a display means, and

a display control means for controlling the display of the data stored in the storage means on the data display means,

characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a specified area of data being displayed on the display means,

in that:

the remark display control means deforms and displays the visual confirmation guide,

characterized and in that:

the remark display control means ~~moves or~~ deforms the visual confirmation guide at a speed based on the frequency of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

57. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 39,~~ A data displaying device comprising:
a storage means with data stored therein,
a display means, and
a display control means for controlling the display of the data stored in the storage means on the data display means,
characterized in that:
a remark display control means is provided for visually displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a specified area of data being displayed on the display means.
- in that:
the remark display control means visually distinguishes the data being displayed with the visual confirmation guide from the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means by deforming the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means or adding information thereto and thereafter displaying the distinguished data with the visual confirmation guide,
- in that:
the remark display control means deforms and displays the visual confirmation guide,
- ~~characterized and~~ in that:
the remark display control means ~~moves or~~ deforms the visual confirmation guide at a speed based on the frequency of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

58. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 38,~~ A data displaying device comprising:

a storage means with data stored therein,

a display means, and

a display control means for controlling the display of the data stored in the storage means on the data display means, characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a specified area of data being displayed on the display means,

in that:

the remark display control means visually distinguishes the data being displayed with the visual confirmation guide from the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means by deforming the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means or adding information thereto and thereafter displaying the distinguished data with the visual confirmation guide,

in that:

the remark display control means moves and displays the visual conformation guide,

characterized and in that:

the remark display control means moves or deforms the visual confirmation guide at a speed based on a combination of the geometric complexity of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide with the frequency of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

59. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 5,~~ A data displaying device comprising:
- a storage means with data stored therein,
 - a display means, and
 - a display control means for controlling the display of the data stored in the storage means on the data display means,
- characterized in that:
- a remark display control means is provided for visually displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a specified area of data being displayed on the display means,
- in that:
- the remark display control means deforms and displays the visual confirmation guide,
- ~~characterized and~~ in that:
- the remark display control means ~~moves or~~ deforms the visual confirmation guide at a speed based on a combination of the geometric complexity of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide with the frequency of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

60. (Currently Amended) ~~A data displaying device as defined in claim 39,~~ A data displaying device comprising:

a storage means with data stored therein,

a display means, and

a display control means for controlling the display of the data stored in the storage means on the data display means, characterized in that:

a remark display control means is provided for visually displaying a visual confirmation guide for distinguishing a specified area of data being displayed on the display means.

in that:

the remark display control means visually distinguishes the data being displayed with the visual confirmation guide from the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means by deforming the data being displayed by said specified area of the display means or adding information thereto and thereafter displaying the distinguished data with the visual confirmation guide,

in that:

the remark display control means deforms and displays the visual confirmation guide,

characterized and in that:

the remark display control means moves or deforms the visual confirmation guide at a speed based on a combination of the geometric complexity of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide with the frequency of data being displayed by the visual confirmation guide.

61. (Canceled, without prejudice)

Please add New Claim 62 as follows:

62. (New) A data displaying device as defined in any one of Claims 11, 12, 13, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59 or 60, further characterized in that: the remark display control means displays the visual confirmation guide superimposed on data being displayed on the display means.